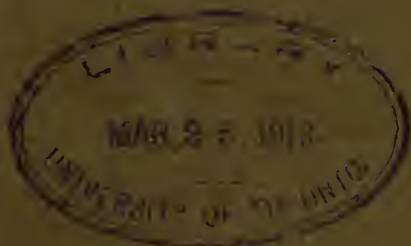


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Chairman of Library Board, 1912.

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The general management, regulation, and control of the Toronto Public Library are vested in a Board called the Board of Management, and composed of the Mayor of the City, three persons appointed by the City Council, three persons appointed by the Public School Board, or Board of Education, and two persons by the Trustees of the Separate School Board. The representatives from the City Council and Board of Education hold office for three years, and those from the Separate School Board for two years, the representatives retiring in rotation at the end of their respective terms on the 31st of January.

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MUNICIPAL REFERENCE BRANCH.

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CENTRAL LIBRARY.

Cor. Church and Adelaide streets. Circulating Library open 9 a.m. to 8.30 p.m. Reading-room, from 9 a.m. to 9.30 p.m.

COLLEGE STREET BRANCH.

In Reference Library building (lower flat). Circulating Library, 9 a.m. to 8.30 p.m. Reading-room, 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Children's room, 9 a.m. to 7.30 p.m.

YORKVILLE BRANCH.

Yorkville Ave., north side, near Yonge Street. Circulating Library, 9 a.m. to 8.30 p.m. Reading-room, 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Children's room, 9 a.m. to 7.30 p.m.

RIVERDALE BRANCH.

Cor. Broadview Ave. and Gerrard Street. Circulating Library, 10 a.m. to 8.30 p.m. Reading-room, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Children's room, 10 a.m. to 7.30 p.m.

QUEEN AND LISGAR BRANCH.

Cor. Queen and Lisgar streets. Circulating Library, 9 a.m. to 8.30 p.m. Reading-room, 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.

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At 1524 Yonge Street. Open every day but Wednesday, from 2 to 6 and from 7 to 9 p.m.

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In Hillcrest Public School, Bathurst street. Hours, Monday and Friday from 1 to 9 p.m.

All Libraries close at 8 p.m. on the third Tuesday of the month for the meetings of the Toronto Library Association.

TORONTO PUBLIC LIBRARY

REPORT OF THE CHAIRMAN OF BOARD OF MANAGEMENT FOR THE YEAR 1912.

GENTLEMEN :—

Citizens who are interested in the growth of the Public Library of this city (and they are increasing each year) in looking over the work of 1912 would mark out as the great outstanding features signifying progress:—

First, the generous supplementary gift of Mr. J. Ross Robertson, by which over four hundred pictures have been added to the priceless collection of Historical Prints placed in the possession of the Library through his generosity at the end of last year. That these are interesting to the people and appreciated by them is proved by an attendance of 26,890 visitors during the past eleven months. That the collection might be made, as its donor intended, a means of education as well as of recreation and pleasure, a library assistant has been assigned to the Historical Room.

Second, the development of the work among children in the Children's Rooms in the Branch Libraries throughout the city. The Board was fortunate in securing the services of Miss Lillian Smith, of the Children's Department of the New York Public Library, to take charge of this work. Three capable assistants have been working under her direction during the past three months, and the results have been highly gratifying. The Story Hour in the Branches where there is a Children's Room, and the National Story Hour in the J. Ross Robertson Historical Room, have greatly stimulated the interest of the children of the city, and the Chief Librarian has frequently been commended for inaugurating this movement.

Some idea of the rapid growth of the Library may be gained from the fact that during the year 1912 no less than seventeen assistants received permanent appointment, making the staff of female assistants engaged by the Board and in service at the end of the year fifty-six, as compared with thirty-one at the close of 1909. The payrolls show a total force of seventy-three, an addition of thirty-four within three years.

During the year contracts were let for the new Dovecourt Branch building at the corner of Bloor Street and Gladstone Avenue. The building, which will cost about \$35,000, is well under way. I had the honour, as Chairman of the Board, of laying the corner-stone on the 16th of October last. We fully

expect this new building to be the finest and most efficient of those provided for our Branch Libraries. It has the distinction of being the first erected by the City, all others being the gift of Mr. Andrew Carnegie.

A long felt need has been met by the provision of a Cloak-room, with an attendant, in the Reference building. A new lavatory also has been provided, and a number of other necessary alterations and repairs made in this and the other Library buildings, including the painting and decorating of the interior of all. The latter was effected by the engagement of a painter, at a substantial saving of what the work would have cost if done under contract. Extensive improvements have been made in the grounds surrounding our various Libraries, in sodding, the laying out of flower beds and planting of shrubbery, and in granolithic walks and increased drainage.

In the administration of the funds the utmost care has been exercised in the purchase of material and equipment, and in securing a maximum of efficiency at a minimum of cost.

A pleasing incident of the year was the visit on the 25th of June of a large body of delegates from the United States and Western Canada *en route* to the American Library Association in Ottawa. The Board tendered a banquet to the delegates in the Art Room of the Reference Library, and the visit throughout proved to be of a very enjoyable character. It was a source of pleasure to meet some of the leading librarians of this Continent, and to receive from them very kind expressions of their surprise at the excellent accommodation provided for our readers, and the very high efficiency attained through the efforts of our Chief Librarian. It was most gratifying, in conversation with more than one, to learn how much they admired the executive ability and progressiveness of our chief executive officer.

The demands for Library service from the outlying sections have been constantly growing. The Board, during the year, has heard deputations from East Toronto, Deer Park, College Heights and Moore Park Ratepayers' Associations, urging the claims of their sections for adequate Library accommodation. As the funds at the disposal of the Board are not sufficient to provide new buildings, the citizens interested have in all cases been advised to make an appeal to the City authorities for the necessary funds. If sites and buildings are provided, the increased revenue from the Library warrants me in stating that the Board will be prepared to administer the new branches as they are established.

The decision of the Board to sell the Church Street prop-

erty has apparently won the approval of the public, and it will therefore be the duty of the Board in the coming year to effect a profitable sale, and, after due consideration of the Library needs of the entire City, arrive at a definite decision of how best to meet the demands with the funds at their disposal.

During the year the Board has lost the services of some of the oldest members of the staff. Miss Kingsmill retired after 23 years, and Miss Dora McCarthy after 28 years, both from ill-health. Mrs. Ross, appointed in 1894, died very suddenly on the 6th of October. Miss Elford was obliged to leave us after five years' service, and Miss Poole after three years of valuable work in the Cataloguing Department. It is my duty to express the regret of the Board at having lost these valuable assistants from the staff.

The efficiency of our staff in every branch has been excellently maintained, and the service rendered to the public is fully appreciated by the citizens, as evidenced by the growth of circulation. As an example of the work of a department of our Library, let me speak of what has been done in the cataloguing of our books. The work of the Cataloguing Department for this year has been such that an almost marvellous record has been created. It has been stated by well-known authorities that they have yet to learn of any Cataloguing Department of similar size and under similar conditions that has ever equalled the following record:—

Reference Department:—

Number of books catalogued	7,854
Number of cards filed in book catalogue.....	20,043
Number of pamphlets catalogued.....	478
Number of cards filed in pamphlet catalogue..	711

Circulating Department:—

Number of books catalogued	21,105
Number of books filed in catalogue	51,058
Number of printer's slips typed	5,033

In closing my report, I have to state, like previous Chairmen of this Board, that the work of the Chief Librarian, Mr. Locke, is of such a high character that it is almost impossible for us to estimate his true worth. Under his direction the circulation of the various libraries has increased from year to

year, indicating that he is always conscious of the public needs, and that his staff is thoroughly imbued with his ideas in seeking to give the public a Library service second to none.

To the Assistant Librarian, the staff, and the members of this Board I have to extend my sincere thanks for their hearty co-operation in the development and extension of the Library work throughout the city, and all of whom have assisted in making my duties as Chairman most pleasant and profitable.

JOHN TURNBULL,
Chairman.

Toronto, January 31st, 1913.

REPORT OF THE CHIEF LIBRARIAN.

To the Members of the Public Library Board:

GENTLEMEN:

The notable features of the year have been:—

1. The Gift of Mr. J. Ross Robertson.

Mr. J. Ross Robertson, who is known throughout the world of Books and Prints as the great Canadian Collector, gave to the Public Library Board in trust for the people of Toronto his large and very valuable collection of prints illustrative of early Canada. This is the largest single collection of Canadian prints known to exist outside of the Archives of the Government of Canada. During the year this has been increased by Mr. Robertson by one-third. Since its formal opening by Sir John M. Gibson, the Lieutenant-Governor of the province, in January last, it has been visited by 26,890 persons. But the great virtue of this Collection to us is not merely the attendance of adults, but, much more important than this, the use to which we have been able to put it in connection with our National Story Hours, which are held in the Historical Collection Room. The stories of those who discovered and developed Canada are told by the librarian in charge of the Collection to groups of fifty children at a time, and in the presence of the portraits of the early explorers, pioneers and statesmen, and where the scenes of their early lives and exploits are portrayed in picture form. It has at once become a great educational factor which we may use to develop in the girls and boys of Canada an interest in the history of their country, and foster in them a pride in its pioneers and an appreciation of the efforts to build up a young nation in the face of great obstacles.

2. The Development of Work Among the Children.

Owing to the ready response with which the Board met my recommendation of last year concerning the expansion of our work among children, I am able to report an increase in this work far beyond our most sanguine hopes. We have now a Head of the Children's Department who was specially trained for this work, and three assistants, the result of whose work during the past three months is seen in the throngs of children who wish to come to our Story Hours and the regularity of attendance in our Reading Clubs for Girls and Boys.

3. Pressure on our Space.

Under this caption I explained in the report of last year how much we were suffering from overcrowding in some of our departments. The evil is aggravated now by the development of the work among children which crowds our College Branch, and by the decided increase in the number of books purchased. We have now reached what is practically our limit in the number of books which we can accession, label, catalogue and add to our circulating libraries. It is hardly humane to ask our Cataloguing and Stock Departments to work under the present conditions.

4. The Circulation and Use of Books.

It will be noticed that we have a great problem before us as librarians in endeavoring to meet the needs of a growing community like Toronto. The Church Street Library receives all the new books, copies of some being sent to Branch Libraries. As Chief Librarian I am confronted by the facts that but few of our borrowers (and the number grows less each year) will go to this Library, as it is decidedly out of the way; that ladies cannot go to it after dusk, as it is not a safe neighborhood for them; that the Board seems unable to dispose of the property, even though in addition to the other reasons the up-keep of it is increasing every year; that there must be some one place where the new books recorded in the Monthly Bulletin may be sent and which will serve as a central distributing station to the Branches whenever requisitions come in for books not obtainable at a Branch; that the circulation in 1900 was 308,081, in 1912 only 114,105. Therefore I desire to draw the attention of the Board to the fact that each year we face a "deficit" in circulation from Church Street which has to be overcome before we can measure up even to the circulation of the previous year. In 1912 this deficit, the decrease in circulation at Church Street, was 10,041, notwithstanding the use of stimulants to restore circulation, such as (a) open shelf room, (b) all new books sent there, (c) the books recorded in the Monthly Bulletin are to be found there, (d) two copies of every new work of fiction to be found only at that Library.

5. Accessions to the Library.

Again I have to report a most prosperous year, with letters from citizens who live near our Branches conveying to the Board their appreciation of the efforts of the Board to add especially

to the reading matter at the Branch Libraries. There were added in 1912 some 21,500 volumes, many of which went to the Branches. There was also much rebinding done, and our efforts were specially directed towards destroying the dirty, binding up the worn, and purchasing new books for Branches.

6. The Dovercourt Branch.

It is expected that this, which will be the largest Branch in our system and the largest Branch library in Canada, will be ready for the Autumn. We have been greatly delayed by what the architects and contractors call "a series of unfortunate and unforeseen occurrences."

7. The American Library Association.

At the annual meeting of the American Library Association, which for the first time was held in our province, this Library was well represented in the various departments. We had the pleasure of entertaining 229 of the Western contingent of librarians on their way to Ottawa.

8. Missing Books.

I desire to call your attention to the report on books missing, and especially to that which comes from Church Street. After many letters and petitions your Board decided to adopt the open shelf system at Church Street in so far as it was possible. The latest books were placed on shelves in an open room to which the public had access. The result this year is that 282 books have been taken from that room for which we have no records and which cannot be traced.

9. The Public Library Association.

Again may I say what I did last year about this Association, viz:—

Worthy of special attention on the part of the Board is the Public Library Association, composed of the members of the Staff in all the library departments. This Association meets on the evening of the third Tuesday of each month and discusses some phase of library development in relationship to our local conditions. As Chief Librarian I wish to testify to the good it has accomplished. It has increased the usefulness of at least ninety per cent. of the staff—this being the average attendance

at the meetings. The interest of some of the members of the Board in this voluntary work has encouraged the members of the Association.

10. Department Reports.

The reports of the different departments have been prepared by the heads of the departments and are printed on succeeding pages. I desire to thank the members of the staff for their hearty co-operation in the Library during the past year. The increase of intelligent interest, aided and stimulated to a very great degree by the Public Library Association, has made the work of the Chief Librarian more pleasant and more productive.

Again I have the privilege of announcing to the Board that so far as internal affairs are concerned this has been a most successful year, and I thank the Board on behalf of the staff of the Library for the interest taken in the welfare and comfort of those who are engaged in the work.

GEORGE H. LOCKE,
Chief Librarian.

REPORTS FROM DEPARTMENTS

Reference Department.

The work of the Reference Library during the past year has been of the same character as formerly, the only difference being that while the number of people using the room has been much greater, the number of books actually consulted has been slightly less. This fact we attribute in some measure to the greater familiarity with the books on the open shelves, with the system of cataloguing, and to the use of the Municipal Reference Branch.

The number of books used during the year was 190,585, which, with Reference books in the College Street Children's Room, 21,845, and in the Municipal Reference Branch, 7,960, makes a total of 220,393.

The number of volumes received from the Stock Department was 4,214, of which 440 were bound periodicals, 340 donations, and 415 patents. Pamphlets to the number of 886 were received, and 1,214 donations, of which 340 were bound and 874 unbound.

During the twelve months 10 volumes have disappeared from the open shelves, and though this fact is to be greatly deplored, we regard the loss as a very trifling one when we consider the number of volumes used.

The new Cloak Room has filled a much needed want, and will be the means of preventing the loss of overcoats, hats, umbrellas, etc., on the part of the readers.

The meeting of the American Library Association held at Ottawa last June was responsible for the visit of a large number of the delegates to our Library, and we were very much gratified at their warmly expressed appreciation of our building, reading room, books, system, etc.

We regret that Miss F. Thompson was obliged to take an extended leave of absence on account of illness, and owing to this fact and the extension of work connected with the J. Ross Robertson Historical Room, Miss Clare Miller, B.A., and Miss Jessie Swinarton, B.A., have been added to the staff.

We are very much pleased to report that all the members of our staff have shown great interest in their work, and have performed all their duties in a highly satisfactory manner.

FRANCES M. STATON.
ELIZABETH MOIR.

Children's Department.

The opening of two more children's rooms in charge of assistants is the most significant feature of the development of the work with children during the year. In October the organization of the children's work at the Riverdale Branch was begun, and Miss Gladys Stauffer placed in charge. In November the children's work at the Western branch was organized, and Miss Bessie Staton placed in charge. In both these branches there has been a steady increase in the use of the children's room for reading and reference purposes, and it has been possible to give much individual help in the selection of books. In November Miss Lulu Collver was also appointed as assistant to the children's librarian at the College Street branch.

The circulation of Juvenile books in 1912 was 90,958. In 1911 it was 85,709. The book collections, especially in the three branches with organized children's rooms, have been strengthened materially.

There is great need for an adequate children's room at the College St. branch. The overcrowding during the winter months, and especially on the days on which the stories are told in the room, make it almost impossible for the librarian to give individual attention to the children. The seating capacity has often proved insufficient, and the section devoted to the children, besides being the darkest corner, is not sufficiently separated from the adult department.

The story hour has proved one of the most attractive features in the children's rooms, and has been a strong means of arousing an interest in good reading. Since October, when the story hours became a regular institution at several of the branch libraries, 52 story hours have been held, at which 142 stories were told—2,978 children listened to these stories. A story hour of particular interest is held in the J. Ross Robertson room, at which stories of early Canadian history are told.

Reading clubs for older children are flourishing at the College and Riverdale Branches, conducted by the children's librarians in charge, and have been found an effective means of guiding the reading of those who will shortly be using the adult department.

During the last week of November and the first part of December an exhibition of gift books for children was held in the art rooms of the Reference Library. The books on exhibition represented the great variety of the interests of children, and were grouped in separate classes, such as Nature Study, Natural History, Travel, Canadian History, etc. Fifteen hundred

visitors availed themselves of the opportunity to make a selection of books for children's holiday reading, and to enjoy examining the beautiful editions and the attractive illustrations of the books themselves.

LILLIAN H. SMITH.

Cataloguing Department.

It is with much regret that the Cataloguing Department records at the beginning of its report for the year 1912 the resignation in June of Miss Poole, formerly joint head of this Department.

Miss Poole's personal charm and her enthusiasm in all phases of library work will not be forgotten. We miss her in the Cataloguing Department, and sincerely regret that she could not remain with us.

During the year three new assistants, Miss Eloise MacFayden, Miss Gosnell and Miss Carrie, entered the Department.

The work of recataloguing the Reference Library is steadily progressing. The Canadian history section is now fully classified according to the new Canadian extension of the Dewey decimal classification which we have adopted. The removal of one section of the old catalogue and the filing in of new cards has necessitated the expansion of our new catalogue.

The cataloguing of all our newspapers was begun this year, and it is hoped that before long this catalogue will be completed.

In January 1912 the classifying of all books for the Central Circulating Library and its branches was commenced. The Dewey decimal system of classification has been adopted for all books except fiction, which is arranged alphabetically by author. Each branch has now its own card catalogue, which we hope to complete for all books on the shelves.

In September 700 books on the open shelf at the Central Library were classified and catalogued, and in addition to these, all books which are sent to be repaired are catalogued before they are returned. In this way cards for the old stock are being placed in the catalogues.

This circulating branch of our cataloguing work has expanded very rapidly. The system which has been developed during the past year of having a union shelf list and classifying all books before they leave the main building has proved very satisfactory.

Each month a classified bulletin has been issued of all books

received at the Central Circulating Library. In October the Juvenile list was made to contain all books received at the College Street branch. This was found to be more satisfactory, as the College Street branch is the headquarters for our children's work. In addition to the monthly bulletin, we published in January an extension of the Dewey decimal classification for Canada. This publication was very much needed, both for our own library and for all Canadian libraries which use the Dewey classification. A bulletin of all foreign books in the Central Circulating Library was also published in October.

Two members from this Department attended the meeting of the American Library Association in Ottawa during the last week in June.

The statistics for the year are as follows:

REFERENCE DEPARTMENT:

Number of books catalogued	7,854
Number of cards filed in catalogues	29,043
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CIRCULATING DEPARTMENT:

Number of books catalogued	21,105
Number of cards filed in catalogues	51,058
Number of printer's-slips typed	5,033

WINIFRED G. BARNSTEAD.

Accessioning Department.

The opening of directed children's departments in several of our branches has led to an inundation of literature for children; but such a sea of interesting and instructive books that many of the older readers have found its waters refreshing. The selection has covered a wide range. There were wonder tales from Russia, Japan, India, Donegal, old English fairy tales, Jewish legends, and even the fairy tales of the Pueblo Indians. There were the ever-loved Perrault's, Grimm's, Andersen's, and expurgated editions of the "Arabian Nights," all newly and exquisitely illustrated by such artists as Dulac, Walton, Folkard, etc. There were folk tales from Bengal, fanciful tales by the inimitable Selma Lagerlof, and Finnish tales retold from "Kalevala" for children. There were charming editions of such famous stories as "Alice in Wonderland," "Treasure Island," "The Christmas Carol," "Billy Popgun," Lamb's, Guerber's and MacLeod's tales retold from Shake-

speare, and of the older favorites, the Kate Greenaway and Beatrix Potter books. There were entertaining volumes of poetry, such as Eugene Field's, Robt. L. Stevenson's, *The Children's Longfellow*, Browning's "Pied Piper," daintily illustrated, and fine collections of children's poems by Ingpen, Littlewood and Auvergne. There were beautiful books on Lepidoptera; especially attractive was one on the "Moths of the Limberlost;" instructive guides to trees, wild flowers, birds, etc., the enthralling Arthurian legends retold and illustrated by Howard Pyle, the Greek and Roman classics gotten up in interesting juvenile costume. For boys with engineering or inventive bent there were hosts of inspiring books. For girls there were entrancing volumes of fairy and romantic tales told by Leonora Blanche and Andrew Lang. Every phase of child education has received an impetus by the wise selection of appropriate books.

For the adult mind there was the best output from the various English, American and Canadian publishers. Especially suitable to this year were books on the naval question, on the Persian crisis, and on the German Empire. Among these last were a translation of Von Bernhardt's "Germany and the Next War," the ex-M.P. W. N. Wallis's "What Germany Wants," "England and Germany," by leaders of public opinion in both Empires; "Germany and the German Emperor," by Perris; and "German Memories,"—a most interesting volume from the pen of Sidney Whitman, who has in his day been intimate with Bismarck, Von Moltke, Prince Bülow, Blumenthal, and all those who have had a hand in the consolidation of the German states during and since 1870.

Many books of essays by such gifted writers as Repplier, Grierson, Belloc, Van Dyke, Chesterton, etc., as well as the best of the new dramatic publications, were purchased, among which were Maeterlinck's, Loti's, Maugham's, Yeates', Pinero's and Parker's latest works.

Notable among the very recent publications are Sir Richard Cartwright's "Reminiscences," Service's "Rhymes of a Rolling Stone," Schuster's "The Strangling of Persia," "The Montessori Method," Fisher's "The Montessori Mother," Leacock's "Sunshine Sketches," Ollivier's "Franco-Prussian War and its Hidden Causes."

The usual annual increase was made to the French, German, Italian, Spanish, Yiddish and Hebrew shelves, and new grammars of the various Slav languages were received.

Accretions to the Library came also in the form of the new

Century Dictionary and the new edition of the Encyclopaedia Britannica.

In point of numbers, the additions to the Library this year in the shape of patents were 415, in that of purchased books, 20,752; and in donations 540, making a total increase of 21,707 books.

The large increase in the number of books purchased necessitated additional help. Miss Corey became the regular assistant in this department in January.

PATRICIA O'CONNOR.

Registration Department.

During the year library cards were issued to 6,282 adults and 1661 children, in addition to which there were over 10,000 renewals. The total number of library cards registered up to the close of the year was 29,780. Of these 1481 were lost and replaced during the twelve months and 573 cancelled. There were sent out 8,419 postcard notices of overdue books, 801 reminders to borrowers, and 261 notices to guarantors. As we are now in the third year of the new registration, these figures may be taken as representing the normal growth of Library patronage.

During the year we adopted the plan of mailing the Library tickets to intending borrowers, and it has worked very satisfactorily. When application is made the applicant, in case his name is not in the City Directory and a guarantor is required, is asked to pay, in addition to five cents for his ticket, one cent for postage in mailing the application card to the address of the proposed guarantor. The ticket may be used in any of our eight circulating libraries, but books must in all cases be returned to the particular library from which they were obtained. Books (other than the most popular of the new fiction) may be retained fourteen days and be then renewed on application for another fourteen days. If kept beyond the time limit a fine of three cents per day is imposed. This Department sends to the borrower whose book is three days overdue a postcard notice to this effect, and if the book is not returned within two weeks another notice is sent. Ten days later, if the book is still out, a notice is sent the guarantor, if there be one. If it becomes necessary to send out a collector, an extra charge of 25 cents for collection is charged, as provided for in the Public Libraries Act. Borrowers are strictly enjoined to notify us of any change in their address.

During the year we printed in leaflet form the rules

governing borrowers, and a copy of these rules is given to every new borrower and may be had at any time on application.

The borrower's ticket is good for only three years, and is then renewable for another three years on application. As we began registration on the present system in July, 1910, re-registration will begin in July of the present year. All tickets of three years' duration are expected to be turned in for renewal.

ALICE M. FUNSTON.

Book-Binding Department.

The record of work accomplished in our Bindery, as given below, is extremely satisfactory in respect both of quantity and quality. The total number of new books bound and old ones rebound has been 3,344, as against 2,740 last year, and the comparison shows more favorable still when it is noted that this year's list includes not only a much larger number of periodicals, but also many large newspaper volumes. We added to the plant a fine new Singer sewing-machine which will greatly accelerate the work and increase the durability of the binding.

<i>Month</i>	<i>Old Books Repaired</i>	<i>Old Books Rebound</i>	<i>New Books Bound</i>	<i>New Books Stamped</i>	<i>Magazines Finished and Titled</i>	<i>Monthly Totals</i>
JAN.	205	267	74	674	22	1,242
FEB.	256	116	107	1,210	33	1,722
MAR.	111	154	233	1,785	54	2,337
APR.	323	236	141	1,473	47	2,220
MAY	311	246	14	1,545	34	2,150
JUNE	204	139	62	1,080	38	1,523
JULY	235	190	32	1,281	.....	1,738
AUG.	275	163	74	1,103	.....	1,615
SEPT.	151	96	34	764	.....	1,045
OCT.	239	152	32	1,256	.....	1,679
NOV.	191	196	238	1,066	9	1,700
DEC.	225	276	72	991	.....	1,564
TOTALS	2,726	2,231	1,113	14,228	237	20,535

Classified Circulation of Books Issued from the Church Street Library.

FROM JANUARY 1ST TO DECEMBER 31ST, 1912.

Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
Natural Sciences and Mathematics	242	231	281	176	156	147	110	158	146	165	175	2,165
Political, Social and Medical Sciences	475	477	496	268	226	236	188	230	344	458	386	4,122
Theology	241	267	274	152	139	119	94	119	122	154	148	2,080
Arts	724	726	786	490	424	412	359	501	558	547	506	6,613
General Literature and Collected Works	543	592	590	441	392	302	256	287	326	351	287	4,707
Geography, Travel and Topography	431	454	470	253	231	213	202	272	301	368	273	3,813
History	404	411	412	312	275	222	203	216	139	128	141	3,192
Biography	433	386	463	312	286	241	238	251	368	490	401	4,177
Poetry and the Drama	161	189	165	96	105	67	46	78	80	114	93	1,278
Periodicals	653	633	646	478	427	377	377	361	375	426	395	5,588
Fiction	5,352	5,329	5,754	4,798	4,286	4,052	4,114	4,153	4,603	4,572	3,894	55,822
Juvenile	904	998	1,140	813	883	870	819	636	834	914	776	10,533
German	150	120	153	91	140	148	126	97	106	114	107	1,477
French	177	184	210	123	106	98	123	126	146	149	136	1,710
Italian	2	5	5	16	13	12	7	3	3	3	10	8
Spanish	5	4	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	1	1
Yiddish	250	263	263	204	188	204	175	220	225	296	303	2,799
Current Magazines	351	340	459	334	321	335	255	329	290	324	334	3,988
Total No. of Books Issued for Home Reading	11,498	11,605	12,571	10,036	8,546	8,055	7,692	8,040	8,963	9,483	8,366	114,101
Magazines Issued in Reading Room	6,722	6,316	6,625	5,334	5,032	4,584	4,597	5,111	6,284	6,701	6,726	69,082
Reference Books	1,452	1,550	1,510	863	674	649	555	816	1,113	1,026	1,015	12,022
Total	19,672	19,471	20,706	16,233	14,252	13,288	12,844	13,967	16,360	17,210	16,107	195,211
Amount of Fines Collected	\$74.82	\$62.20	\$66.71	\$78.51	\$75.07	\$57.78	\$67.12	\$63.75	\$63.05	\$67.25	\$69.47	\$823.2

Classified Circulation of Books Issued from the College Street Branch Library.

FROM JANUARY 1ST TO DECEMBER 31ST, 1912.

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
Natural Sciences and Mathematics	113	100	156	123	115	73	72	66	62	118	174	144	1,316
Political, Social and Medical Sciences.....	226	225	260	246	186	160	102	166	162	219	267	260	2,479
Theology	75	86	77	65	83	73	62	63	56	55	99	97	891
Arts	295	331	361	281	274	198	192	217	212	285	363	259	3,268
General Literature and Collected Works	423	455	465	387	378	303	304	262	286	362	442	405	4,472
Geography, Travel and Topography	376	370	384	272	291	236	227	216	225	299	383	327	3,606
History	409	417	452	364	350	253	178	210	205	299	392	353	3,852
Biography	459	465	508	416	399	319	270	242	294	379	493	388	4,632
Poetry and the Drama	131	143	164	114	137	86	83	68	97	80	146	94	1,343
Periodicals	785	863	773	819	690	532	408	419	401	509	592	558	7,349
Fiction	6,569	6,926	7,111	6,108	6,145	5,576	4,858	4,722	4,924	5,344	6,262	5,846	70,391
Juvenile	2,411	2,168	2,538	2,283	1,938	1,700	1,444	1,318	1,201	1,529	1,993	2,127	22,670
German	34	35	24	24	24	31	20	41	22	22	38	30	345
French	22	32	23	27	25	28	23	27	20	31	39	45	342
Italian .....	.....	.....	4	1	.....	1	.....	2	38	.....	.....	.....	46
Spanish .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Current Magazines	208	168	181	166	190	145	131	122	96	120	173	154	1,854
Total No. of Books Issued for Home Reading	12,536	12,784	13,501	11,696	11,225	9,714	8,374	8,161	8,301	9,651	11,856	11,087	128,886
Magazines Issued in Reading Room .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Reference Books	17,714	20,160	22,021	21,143	16,330	9,648	8,949	9,337	10,957	16,784	20,732	16,810	199,585
Juvenile Reference Books	2,051	2,020	2,020	1,689	1,251	1,281	1,247	1,300	1,370	2,300	2,600	2,716	21,845
Total	32,301	34,964	37,542	34,528	28,806	20,643	18,570	18,798	20,628	28,735	35,188	30,613	341,316
Amount of Fines Collected	\$66.53	\$57.15	\$53.67	\$63.35	\$66.69	\$59.40	\$48.92	\$48.96	\$48.38	\$49.13	\$48.52	\$64.18	\$674.88

Classified Circulation of Books Issued from the Yorkville Avenue Branch Library.

FROM JANUARY 1ST TO DECEMBER 31ST, 1912.

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
Natural Sciences and Mathematics	137	117	55	57	56	38	31	35	36	62	63	48	735
Political, Social and Medical Sciences	108	106	55	57	54	57	74	63	62	83	88	67	874
Theology	93	119	46	33	33	22	23	35	42	28	42	33	549
Arts	258	286	139	85	98	91	117	99	112	103	114	140	1,642
General Literature and Collected Works	303	343	168	171	138	120	163	137	135	224	209	170	2,281
Geography, Travel and Topography	304	334	135	112	138	118	143	135	131	182	240	175	2,147
History	285	372	159	120	165	123	121	150	137	116	127	112	1,987
Biography	219	257	141	115	102	149	158	159	126	160	142	147	1,875
Poetry and the Drama	94	116	39	28	25	31	47	37	24	34	46	26	547
Periodicals	703	666	405	391	382	322	327	335	281	308	335	315	4,770
Fiction	3,255	3,386	2,729	2,364	2,350	2,166	2,240	2,162	2,110	2,589	2,766	2,358	30,475
Juvenile	1,023	907	820	736	685	628	677	814	698	948	1,110	995	10,041
German	12	17	5	2	.....	.....	3	.....	2	1	1	1	46
French	17	25	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	4	.....	.....	63
Italian .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Spanish .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Current Magazines	85	91	62	46	77	66	84	61	49	81	100	98	900
Total No. of Books Issued for Home Reading	6,896	7,142	4,970	4,317	4,303	3,933	4,208	4,226	3,945	4,923	5,384	4,685	58,932
Magazines Issued in Reading Room .....	.....	.....	.....	533	333	144	138	109	117	170	190	150	1,884
Reference Books .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	6,896	7,142	4,970	4,850	4,636	4,077	4,346	4,335	4,062	5,093	5,574	4,835	60,816
Amount of Fines Collected	\$14.82	\$8.22	\$13.62	\$17.11	\$20.46	\$14.12	\$18.16	\$11.97	\$19.50	\$19.77	\$15.05	\$21.43	\$194.23

Classified Circulation of Books Issued from the Riverdale Branch Library.

FROM JANUARY 1ST TO DECEMBER 31ST, 1912.

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
Natural Sciences and Mathematics	36	31	51	32	37	11	48	37	45	54	49	48	479
Political, Social and Medical Sciences	62	62	53	42	40	29	29	36	36	38	44	49	520
Theology	9	18	21	18	14	16	22	26	17	30	23	20	234
Arts	110	112	151	153	154	113	138	114	131	196	191	161	1,724
General Literature and Collected Works	106	96	102	101	55	65	65	76	64	80	109	91	1,010
Geography, Travel and Topography	91	99	85	58	45	48	39	80	60	67	98	76	846
History	80	103	106	100	69	56	50	43	44	69	70	73	863
Biography	81	78	82	66	71	44	35	57	53	72	80	69	788
Poetry and the Drama	41	60	57	35	32	31	25	23	21	35	55	42	457
Periodicals	515	483	526	464	407	353	328	381	332	375	394	340	4,898
Fiction	3,139	3,084	3,429	3,107	2,909	2,639	2,568	3,074	2,815	3,610	3,610	3,090	36,611
Juvenile	1,379	1,399	1,669	1,383	1,229	1,127	1,177	1,224	1,140	1,508	2,037	1,717	16,989
German	7	3	2	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	4	1	.....	20
French .....	.....	.....	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1	.....	1	5
Italian .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Spanish .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Current Magazines	16	16	29	22	22	15	17	19	17	18	18	18	227
Total No. of Books Issued for Home Reading	5,672	5,644	6,364	5,583	5,084	4,547	4,541	5,190	4,778	5,700	6,779	5,795	65,677
Magazines Issued in Reading Room .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Reference Books .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	5,672	5,644	6,364	5,583	5,084	4,547	4,541	5,190	4,778	5,700	6,779	5,795	65,677
Amount of Fines Collected	\$24.19	\$21.91	\$21.13	\$21.72	\$31.54	\$23.09	\$25.24	\$21.52	\$24.89	\$26.47	\$25.69	\$29.43	\$296.82

Classified Circulation of Books Issued from the Queen and Ligar Branch Library.

FROM JANUARY 1ST TO DECEMBER 31ST, 1912.

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
Natural Sciences and Mathematics	41	36	66	64	50	40	29	32	32	35	53	44	522
Political, Social and Medical Sciences.....	28	27	28	39	30	18	30	43	37	45	35	25	385
Theology	22	23	26	24	22	25	18	26	10	21	13	13	243
Arts	72	84	94	62	49	54	67	58	53	74	89	75	831
General Literature and Collected Works	45	45	53	42	44	28	21	50	42	48	70	66	554
Geography, Travel and Topography	72	70	103	98	73	50	53	69	54	76	78	91	887
History	83	113	87	71	55	65	42	60	53	73	106	57	865
Biography	67	79	81	63	47	28	48	62	72	77	84	74	782
Poetry and the Drama	27	27	31	17	21	27	22	14	28	30	35	28	307
Periodicals	732	661	739	615	569	454	425	492	438	540	636	557	6,858
Fiction	2,414	2,290	2,421	2,175	2,099	1,779	1,910	2,108	1,937	2,249	2,607	2,100	26,089
Juvenile	1,048	1,062	1,320	1,106	906	834	833	912	735	973	1,238	1,139	12,106
German	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	3	1	.....	1	2	9
French	7	4	4	4	7	9	9	6	3	7	10	15	85
Italian .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Spanish .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Current Magazines	14	16	19	16	17	26	24	16	17	32	28	11	236
Total No. of Books Issued for Home Reading	4,673	4,537	5,072	4,396	3,989	3,437	3,532	3,951	3,512	4,280	5,033	4,297	50,759
Magazines Issued in Reading Room	207	227	254	196	178	146	124	124	138	227	273	244	2,338
Reference Books .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	4,880	4,764	5,326	4,592	4,167	3,583	3,656	4,075	3,650	4,507	5,356	4,541	53,097
Amount of Fines Collected	\$19.94	\$16.59	\$15.33	\$16.11	\$18.96	\$13.89	\$15.45	\$12.53	\$13.97	\$15.65	\$18.56	\$19.62	\$196.60

Classified Circulation of Books Issued from the Western Branch Library.

FROM JANUARY 1ST TO DECEMBER 31ST, 1912.

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
Natural Sciences and Mathematics	33	15	38	25	24	34	30	12	32	36	33	24	336
Political, Social and Medical Sciences.....	30	30	37	29	18	22	27	23	28	29	36	37	346
Theology	25	18	41	28	16	22	12	12	15	15	16	14	234
Arts	46	50	42	46	33	20	25	28	55	54	65	46	510
General Literature and Collected Works	36	45	42	35	35	26	22	23	21	58	55	36	434
Geography, Travel and Topography	38	36	25	29	19	20	16	14	29	31	19	28	304
History	44	64	60	40	45	35	41	28	36	67	53	65	578
Biography	38	42	48	40	36	19	26	26	18	39	40	37	409
Poetry and the Drama	18	19	25	20	19	22	24	14	16	25	35	16	253
Periodicals	311	325	332	300	327	281	296	226	270	300	375	301	3,644
Fiction	1,769	1,745	1,984	1,815	1,673	1,601	1,484	1,241	1,548	1,824	2,074	1,806	20,564
Juvenile	835	1,026	1,170	1,034	828	768	771	646	782	667	828	893	10,248
German	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	1	1	1	4	1	6
French	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	13
Italian	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Spanish	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Current Magazines	15	16	13	18	14	12	12	8	13	23	18	19	181
Total No. of Books Issued for Home Reading	3,238	3,433	3,857	3,459	3,089	2,882	2,791	2,301	2,863	3,173	3,651	3,323	38,060
Magazines Issued in Reading Room													
Reference Books													
Total	3,238	3,433	3,857	3,459	3,089	2,882	2,791	2,301	2,863	3,173	3,651	3,323	38,060
Amount of Fines Collected	\$11.11	\$9.87	\$9.72	\$9.75	\$11.67	\$14.22	\$12.35	\$10.73	\$10.14	\$12.46	\$12.39	\$12.36	\$136.77

Classified Circulation of Books Issued from the Deer Park Branch Library.

FROM JANUARY 1ST TO DECEMBER 31ST, 1912.

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	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
Natural Sciences and Mathematics	16	9	16	12	19	10	9	7	8	14	20	17	157
Political, Social and Medical Sciences.....	11	22	10	19	15	14	22	10	16	23	33	24	219
Theology	5	.....	14	2	5	4	15	6	7	7	15	12	104
Arts	19	.....	34	33	23	14	26	32	28	59	58	43	395
General Literature and Collected Works	65	32	33	30	33	18	30	31	35	37	46	42	432
Geography, Travel and Topography	33	30	43	46	26	15	33	22	19	30	42	50	389
History	37	34	41	28	31	12	20	26	15	35	46	45	370
Biography	24	32	20	31	18	26	36	48	42	54	62	61	454
Poetry and the Drama	24	17	11	22	14	16	21	12	13	31	30	25	236
Periodicals	77	92	93	57	56	46	59	58	47	75	99	108	867
Fiction	973	1,141	1,203	1,109	937	829	806	694	827	1,044	1,099	970	11,632
Juvenile	472	516	612	533	450	361	337	264	280	348	375	353	4,901
German .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2
French .....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Italian .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Spanish .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Yiddish .....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Current Magazines	68	99	79	88	64	38	56	41	44	75	86	72	810
Total No. of Books Issued for Home Reading	1,824	2,052	2,209	2,012	1,691	1,403	1,470	1,251	1,381	1,844	2,011	1,822	20,970
Magazines Issued in Reading Room .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Reference Books	292	295	320	250	215	27	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,399
Total	2,116	2,347	2,529	2,262	1,906	1,430	1,470	1,251	1,381	1,844	2,011	1,822	22,369
Amount of Fines Collected	\$8.88	\$6.86	\$4.62	\$4.77	\$5.41	\$11.49	\$8.04	\$5.90	\$12.46	\$9.63	\$9.75	\$9.18	\$96.99

Classified Circulation of Books Issued from the Wychwood Branch Library

FROM JANUARY 1ST TO DECEMBER 31ST, 1912.

	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
Natural Sciences and Mathematics	16	30		15	15	9	2	9	8	6	4	3	117
Political, Social and Medical Sciences.....	3	5		9	24	10	2	3	7	10	5	13	91
Theology					7	2	6	4	11	3	10	2	45
Arts	6	35		19	32	15	13	25	30	21	26	25	247
General Literature and Collected Works	17	20		5	23	10	13	6	9	19	29	16	167
Geography, Travel and Topography	12	20		23	26	18	9	13	7	29	28	23	208
History	11	23		5	19	5	8	14	12	10	12	14	133
Biography	29	34		11	18	12	10	8	10	6	2	4	144
Poetry and the Drama	3	2		1	6	2	.....	5	5	.....	4	1	29
Periodicals	10	7		81	14	12	17	7	17	22	159	12	358
Fiction	264	383		326	318	265	362	473	263	262	335	263	3,514
Juvenile	298	585		217	396	295	202	342	297	282	199	359	3,472
German													
French													
Italian													
Spanish													
Current Magazines													
Total No. of Books Issued for Home Reading	669	1,144		712	898	655	644	909	676	670	813	735	8,525
Magazines Issued in Reading Room													
Reference Books													
Total	669	1,144		712	898	655	644	909	676	670	813	735	8,525
Amount of Fines Collected			\$0.27	\$3.54	\$2.51	\$4.16	\$1.53	\$0.96	\$2.07	\$2.49	\$3.69	\$1.79	\$23.01

FROM JANUARY 1ST TO DECEMBER 31ST, 1912.

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
Natural Sciences and Mathematics	618	555	693	504	492	371	368	308	381	471	561	503	5,825
Political, Social and Medical Sciences	940	952	944	782	635	536	522	532	578	791	966	861	9,039
Theology	470	531	499	377	332	303	277	266	277	293	372	339	4,336
Arts	1,524	1,621	1,642	1,258	1,153	929	990	932	1,122	1,350	1,453	1,255	15,229
General Literature and Collected Works	1,521	1,625	1,473	1,212	1,098	910	920	841	879	1,154	1,311	1,113	14,057
Geography, Travel and Topography	1,345	1,405	1,265	983	871	736	733	751	797	1,015	1,256	1,043	12,200
History	1,342	1,525	1,340	1,057	1,046	824	682	734	718	808	934	860	11,870
Biography	1,321	1,368	1,377	1,120	1,003	883	824	860	866	1,155	1,303	1,181	13,261
Poetry and the Drama	496	574	494	333	338	320	289	219	282	315	465	325	4,450
Periodicals	3,776	3,733	3,521	3,205	2,877	2,427	2,237	2,295	2,147	2,504	3,016	2,586	34,324
Fiction	23,471	24,165	25,014	21,922	21,229	19,141	18,280	18,588	18,577	21,068	23,325	20,327	255,107
Juvenile	8,072	8,374	9,874	8,236	7,245	6,596	6,311	6,339	5,769	7,089	8,694	8,359	90,958
German	204	176	184	152	115	171	177	172	124	133	155	140	1,903
French	223	248	250	155	166	145	130	158	150	194	203	198	2,220
Italian	2	5	9	17	5	14	12	9	41	.....	3	10	127
Spanish	5	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	1	13
Yiddish	250	263	263	206	206	188	204	175	220	225	296	303	2,799
Current Magazines	757	746	842	692	718	623	659	502	565	639	747	706	8,196
Total No. of Books Issued for Home Reading	46,337	47,866	49,688	42,211	39,529	35,117	33,615	33,681	33,496	39,204	45,060	40,110	485,914
Magazines Issued in Reading Room	6,929	6,543	6,879	5,530	5,231	5,178	4,708	4,721	5,249	6,511	6,974	6,970	71,423
Reference Books	19,458	22,005	23,851	22,789	17,675	10,493	9,736	10,001	11,890	18,067	21,948	17,975	205,888
Juvenile Reference Books	2,051	2,020	2,020	1,689	1,251	1,281	1,247	1,300	1,370	2,300	2,600	2,716	21,845
Total	74,775	78,434	82,438	72,219	63,686	52,069	49,306	49,703	52,005	66,082	76,582	67,771	785,070
Amount of Fines Collected	\$220.29	\$182.80	\$185.07	\$214.86	\$234.77	\$215.44	\$187.47	\$179.69	\$195.16	\$198.65	\$200.90	\$227.46	\$2,442.56
No. of Tickets Issued	746	935	788	545	469	444	516	508	579	904	929	581	7,944
Total of Tickets to Date	22,582	23,517	24,305	24,850	25,319	25,763	26,279	26,787	27,366	28,270	29,199	29,780	29,780

Volumes in Circulating and Reference Libraries

Number of volumes in Circulating Libraries	118,815
Number of volumes held for Dovercourt and other new Branches	1,543
Number of volumes in Reference Library	66,956
Number of Reference volumes in Branches:—	
Church Street	230
College Street	274
Yorkville Avenue	397
Riverdale	468
Queen and Lisgar	390
Western	299
Deer Park	106
Municipal Reference	542
	2,706
Number of bound Patents	9,718
Number of Manuscripts	334
Number of Pamphlets	18,868
	218,940
Less Deductions:—	
Withdrawn	5,313
Lost by borrowers and paid for	69
Destroyed by Medical Health Department	161
Missing	1,336*
	6,879
Total	212,061

*This figure is undoubtedly greatly in excess of the number of books actually lost to us. The re-cataloguing and consequent re-numbering could not but result in difficulty in identifying the books.

Classified list of
Books received
during 1912 in
Circulating Libraries

Classification	Church.	College.	Yorkville.	Riverdale.	Queen and Lisgar.	Western.	Deer Park	Wychwood	Total.
Bibliography	100	111	54	201	123	100	39	31	759
Philosophy	75	51	13	18	8	7	8	5	185
Religion	125	81	27	37	24	25	17	19	355
Sociology	236	151	33	96	48	40	24	25	653
Dictionaries	6	3	2	1	3	2	5	1	23
Science	105	57	32	62	73	37	27	51	444
Applied Science	220	101	25	131	59	46	18	61	661
Fine Arts	214	123	47	94	72	54	38	48	690
Literature	351	230	86	159	81	80	70	73	1130
History	750	610	300	409	248	188	201	260	2966
Fiction	1234	1074	659	767	605	379	427	389	5534
Juvenile Fiction	238	342	228	316	284	257	162	233	2060
German	79	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	79
French	213	.....	41	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	254
Italian	60	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	60
Spanish	47	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	47
Yiddish	130	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	130
Miscellaneous Foreign..	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10
Reference	33	18	42	80	38	48	6	.....	265
Total	4,226	2,952	1,589	2,371	1,666	1,263	1,042	1,196	16,305

Received in Reference Library	3,980	
Received in Municipal Reference	221	
		4,201
Total		20,506

Statement of
Receipts and Expenditure

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31ST, 1912

Receipts.

Jan. 1st, To Balance in Dominion Bank, Spadina and College Branch. (Includes City's special grants for Books and balance for Municipal furniture)	\$26,607 25
Dec. 31st, To Library Rate	\$5,700 00
“ “ Legislative Grant	260 00
“ “ Rents	1,440 34
“ “ Newspapers and Magazines sold..	117 62
“ “ Borrowers' Tickets	511 90
“ “ Catalogues	29 46
“ “ Fines	2,416 06
“ “ Books lost and paid for	67 00
“ “ Damage to books	9 60
“ “ Books sold	90 43
“ “ Waste paper sold	19 66
“ “ Bank interest	564 40
“ “ Copying Documents	1 50

Expenditure.

Dec. 31st, By Books	\$19,220 72
“ “ English Patents	308 39
“ “ Newspapers and Magazines	2,545 31
“ “ Binding	3,982 70
“ “ Printing	656 22
“ “ Stationery	657 03
“ “ Postage	412 71
“ “ Electric Light and Lamps	2,189 98
“ “ Gas	78 12
“ “ Fuel	2,950 00
“ “ Water	142 89
“ “ Rent of Branches	416 00
“ “ Wagon Service	672 45
“ “ Telephones	180 30
“ “ Repairs and Alterations	2,947 29
“ “ Salaries	37,261 28
“ “ Insurance	1,375 24
“ “ Petty Expenses	251 37
“ “ Furniture, College St.	117 28
“ “ Furniture, Reference	119 28
“ “ Furniture, Riverdale	59 78
“ “ Furniture, Dovercourt	198 79
“ “ John Ross Robertson Historical Collection	659 83
“ “ John Hallam Portrait (balance)...	254 50
“ “ Registration	158 76
“ “ Catalogues	361 50
“ “ Maintenance	1,872 32
“ “ Caretaking	6,393 58
“ “ Cataloguing	1,753 81

"	Furnishing and Equipment	1,197 11
"	Furniture and Fittings	437 40
"	Travelling Expenses	71 50
"	Law Costs	50 00
"	Electric Switchboard	208 04
"	American Library Assn.	452 01
"	Shrubbery	45 65
"	Furniture, Queen and Lisgar	17 00
"	Carnegie Memorial Tablet	5 00
"	Books—special grant from City...	663 22
"	Furniture, Municipal Reference...	28 00
"	Valuation of Properties	200 00
"	Balance in Dominion Bank, Spadina and College	*26,262 96
		<u>\$117,835 22</u>

*Includes balance of City's special grants for books.

February 20th, 1913. Audited and found correct.

(Signed) WALTER STERLING, City Auditor.

NEW LIBRARY BUILDINGS.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31ST, 1912

Receipts.

Jan. 1st, To Balance in Dominion Bank, Spadina and College Branch	\$5,133 44
Dec. 31st, To City Treasurer, grant for Dover- court Branch	35,000 00
" " Dominion Bank, Interest allowed..	428 30
	<u>\$40,561 74</u>

February 20th, 1913.

Audited and found correct.

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Expenditure.

Dec. 31st, By Chapman & McGiffin, Architects' Fees	\$ 875 00
" " H. N. Dancy & Son, Masonry	11,400 00
" " Thomas Painter & Son, Carpentry.	1,500 00
" Balance in Dominion Bank, Spadina and College Branch	26,786 74
	<u>\$40,561 74</u>

List of Donations, 1912

	Bound.	Unbound.		Bound.	Unbound.
Allen, Alex. McD.	—	5	Heaton, Ernest	1	—
Allis-Chalmers-Bullock, Ltd.	1	—	Henwood, Frederick	3	—
Ardagh, Henry R.	1	—	Hill, Miss	—	26
Assessment Commissioner, Toronto	—	1	Hopkins Press, The John, Baltimore	—	1
Balch, T. W., Philadelphia	1	—	Howland, Hy. R., Buffalo	1	—
Banhead, J. H., Washington, D.C.	—	1	Johnston, James Mitchell, Buffalo	1	—
Bell, W. G.	4	—	King's Printer, Edmonton, Alta.	1	1
Blair, Woodbury, Washington, D.C.	2	—	King's Printer, Halifax, N.S.	—	1
Blocksidge, William	—	2	King's Printer, Ottawa	32	1
Burton, C. M., Detroit	—	1	King's Printer, Regina, Sask.	—	1
Campbell, R. H., Ottawa	—	16	King's Printer, Toronto	15	4
Chadwick, Edward M.	1	—	King's Printer, Wellington, N.Z.	—	2
Chilton, R. S.	50	50	King's Printer, Winnipeg, Man.	3	—
Chivers, Cedric, Bath, Eng.	—	1	Kingsley, Darwin P., New York.	1	—
City Auditor, Los Angeles, Cal.	1	—	Knibbs, G. H., Melbourne, Aust.	—	8
City Clerk, Lynn, Mass.	1	—	Leicester, Gordon, London, Eng.	—	1
City Clerk, Toronto	2	—			
City Engineer, Toronto	2	—	Libraries:—		
Claflay, W. L., Detroit	1	—	Aberystwyth, National of Wales	1	—
Colleges and Universities:—			Ashton-under-Lyme, Eng.	—	1
Academia de Ciencias Medicas, Cuba	—	7	Belfast, Ireland	—	1
Bowdoin College, Maine	—	2	Birmingham, Public, Eng.	—	1
Chicago University	—	5	Blackburn, Eng.	—	1
Cornell University, Ithaca, N.Y.	—	3	Boston Athenaeum, Mass.	—	1
Harvard University, Mass.	2	3	Bradford, Eng.	—	1
Illinois University, Urbana	12	—	Brooklyn, Public, N.Y.	—	6
Iowa State University	—	2	Buffalo, Public, N.Y.	—	1
Kaiserlichen Universitat, Tokyo, Japan	—	2	Cambridge, Public, Mass.	—	13
Kaiseral-Japanischen Universitat, Tokyo, Japan	—	1	Cardiff, Wales	—	4
L'Universite Laval, Quebec	—	1	Carnegie, Ottawa	—	2
McMaster University	1	—	Carnegie, Pittsburg	—	1
Michigan University	—	1	Chicago, Public, Ill.	—	9
New York University	1	2	Cleveland, Public, O.	—	4
Princeton Theological Seminary, U.S., Pres. Church, N.J.	—	1	Detroit, Public, Mich.	—	8
Princeton University, N.J.	1	—	District of Columbia, Wash.	—	9
Queen's University, Kingston	—	8	Doncaster, Free, Eng.	—	1
Saskatchewan University, Saskatoon	—	2	Drexel Institute, Philadelphia.	—	1
Toronto University	—	10	East Orange, Free, N.J.	—	7
University of Pennsylvania	—	9	Ecceles, Public, Lancashire, Eng.	—	1
Victoria University, Toronto	—	1	Enoch Pratt, Baltimore	—	1
Washington University, Seattle	—	1	Erie, Public, Pa.	—	1
Western Reserve University Library School, Cleveland.	—	1	Fraser Institute, Montreal ..	—	1
Yale University, New Haven.	—	4	Friends, Free, Germantown, Pa.	—	1
Dodds, Mrs. E. King	4	—	Grand Rapids, Mich.	—	10
Doubleday, Page & Co., New York	1	—	Haverhill, Public, Mass.	—	7
Falconbridge, John D.	—	2	Helena, Public, Mont.	—	1
Fletcher, R., Winnipeg	—	1	Imperial, Calcutta, India	1	1
Foster, Miss, New York	1	—	Indiana, Public Library Commission	—	3
Gilbreth, Frank B., New York	—	1	Indianapolis, Public, Ind.	—	1
Graves, A. R., Coronado, Cal.	2	—	Jacksonville, Fla.	—	1
Griscom-Russell Co., New York.	1	—	John Crerar, Chicago	—	1
Hanford, Franklin, Scottsville, N.Y.	—	2	John Rylands, Manchester, Eng.	—	2
Hardy, E. A.	—	1	Leeds, Eng.	—	1
Hazen, Hon. J. D., Ottawa	—	1	Leyton, Public, London, Eng.	—	1
			Library of Congress, Washington	4	5
			Lincoln, Public, Eng.	—	1
			Liverpool, Public, Eng.	—	2
			Los Angeles, Public, Cal.	—	1
			Louisville, Public, Kentucky ..	—	16
			Manchester, Public, Eng.	—	2

	Bound.	Unbound.		Bound.	Unbound.
Massachusetts Library Club, Haverhill	—	4	American Telephone and Telegraph Co., New York	—	1
Mechanics Institute, San Francisco	—	1	Archivos do Museu Nacional do Rio de Janeiro	—	2
Michigan State, Lansing	—	8	Argus Company, Albany, N.Y.	—	2
Milwaukee, Public, Wis.	—	5	Associated Charities, Pittsburg ..	—	1
Minneapolis, Public, Minn.	—	1	Biblioteca Municipal de Guayaquil, Ecuador	—	14
Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Eng.	—	1	Board of Education, City of New York	1	—
New Haven, Conn.	—	3	Board of Trade, Toronto	—	8
New Orleans, La.	—	1	Board of Trade, Winnipeg	—	1
New York, Public, N.Y.	11	—	Boston Transit Commission ..	1	—
New York State, Albany, N.Y.	—	4	British Museum, Eng.	10	1
Niagara Falls, Public, Ont.	—	1	Bureau of Education, Washington, D.C.	3	17
Nottingham, Eng.	12	—	Bureau of Provincial Information, Victoria, B.C.	1	6
Omaha, Public, Neb.	—	4	Bureau of Railway Economics, Washington, D.C.	1	1
Osaka, Japan	—	1	Canadian Club, Ottawa	—	1
Patent Office, London, Eng.	—	2	Canadian Red Cross Society, Toronto	—	2
Philadelphia, Free, Pa.	—	1	Carnegie Hero Fund Commission	—	1
Philippine, Manila	—	3	Carnegie Institution of Washington, D.C.	—	1
Prahran, Public, Victoria, Australia	—	1	Catholic Record Society, London, Eng.	—	2
Pratt Institute, Free, Brooklyn, N.Y.	—	4	Central Railway and Engineering Club of Canada	—	7
Providence, R. I.	—	1	Champlain Society, Toronto ..	—	1
Regina, Sask.	14	—	Children's Aid Society of Pennsylvania	—	1
Reynolds, Rochester, N.Y.	—	1	Chief Publishing Company, New York	1	—
Richmond, Surrey, Eng.	—	1	City of Chicago, Ill.	—	2
St. Bride Foundation Institute, London, Eng.	—	2	City of Detroit, Mich.	2	—
St. Louis, Mercantile, Mo.	—	7	City of Minneapolis, Minn.	2	—
St. Louis, Public, Mo.	11	—	City of Ottawa	—	2
Salem, Mass.	—	1	City of Seattle, Wash.	1	—
Scranton, Public, Pa.	—	1	Commercial Museum, Philadelphia	—	1
Seattle, Public, Wash.	—	2	Commission of Archives, Protestant Episcopal Church, New York	6	—
Taunton	—	1	Commission of Conservation, Ottawa	5	2
Tokyo, Imperial, Japan	1	1	Commission of Lands and Mines, British Guiana	—	2
Toledo, Public, O.	—	1	Commonwealth Bureau of Census and Statistics, Melbourne ..	1	—
Utica, Public, N.Y.	—	1	Department of Agriculture, Ottawa	1	37
Victoria, Melbourne, Australia ..	—	1	Department of Agriculture, Washington, D.C.	—	43
Wandsworth, London, Eng.	—	1	Department of Commerce and Labor, Washington	2	13
Westminster, London, Eng.	—	1	Department of Interior, Ottawa ..	—	6
Wilmington, Free, Del.	—	1	Department of Interior, Washington	—	5
Windsor, Public, Ont.	—	1	Department of Labour, Ottawa ..	—	20
Wisconsin Free Library Commission	—	5	Department of Militia and Defence, Ottawa	—	2
Worcester, Public, Mass.	—	1	Department of Mines, British Columbia	—	2
Locke, Geo. H.	2	—	Department of Public Works, Chicago	1	—
Logan, Dr. J. D.	3	2			
MacKenzie, A. B.	—	1			
Marsden, Victor E., M.A., St. Petersburg	—	2			
Matheson, Hon. A. J.	7	—			
Oldright, Dr.	20	—			
Peters, J. Henry	1	—			
Public Bodies:—					
Aero Club of America, New York	—	1			
Agent General for Western Australia	—	1			
Alpine Club of Canada, Sydney, B.C.	—	1			
American Association for International Conciliation	—	16			
American Library Association, Chicago	—	4			
American Society for the Judicial Settlement of International Disputes, Baltimore ..	—	1			

	Bound.	Unbound.		Bound.	Unbound.
Department of Mines, Ottawa...	4	12	Ontario Department of Education	2	1
Department of Trade and Commerce, Ottawa	6	—	Ontario Department of Insurance	3	—
Engineering Limited, London, Eng.	—	1	Ontario Department of Lands, Forests and Mines	6	—
Geographic Board of Canada ..	—	3	Ontario Department of Public Works	2	—
Geological Survey of Victoria, Australia	—	2	Ontario Educational Association ..	—	1
Illuminating Engineering Society, New York	—	1	Ontario Factory Inspectors ...	—	1
Imperial Bank of Canada	—	1	Permanent Exhibitions Committee, British Guiana	—	1
Indian Rights Association, Philadelphia	—	1	Provincial Museum, Toronto ...	1	—
International Geological Congress, Ottawa	—	1	Republica Oriental del Uruguay, Montevideo	2	—
John Moore Association, New York	—	1	Royal Colonial Institute, London, Eng.	—	2
Lake Champlain Tercentenary Commission	1	—	Royal Military College Club of Canada	—	2
Lake Mohawk Conference on International Arbitration ..	—	1	Royal Society of Canada	1	—
Local Council of Women, Toronto	—	1	Silk Association of America ..	—	2
London County Council, Eng..	—	2	Smithsonian Institution, Washington	5	50
Lowell Observatory, Flagstaff, Arizona	—	3	Society of Friends General Conference, Philadelphia	1	—
Lundy's Lane Historical Society, Niagara Falls	—	1	Superintendent of Public Instruction, Quebec	—	1
Massachusetts History Society, Boston	1	—	Surveyor General's Department, Victoria, B.C.	—	8
Meteorological Office, Toronto..	—	1	Universal Portland Cement Co., Chicago	—	19
Meteorological Service of Can.	—	1	Upper Canada Bible Society..	1	—
Michigan State Board of Health	1	—	Warren Hastings Committee of Worcestershire	1	—
Ministerie de Relaciones Exteriores, Montevideo	2	—	Wisconsin State Historical Society	1	—
Minnesota Historical Society, St. Paul	1	—	Women's Art Association of Canada, Toronto	—	1
Municipal Association, Cleveland, O.	—	4	Yellow Pine Manufacturers Association, St. Louis, Mo. ...	—	1
Muskoka Cottage Sanatorium and Free Hospital for Consumptives	—	2	York Pioneer and Historical Society, Toronto	—	3
Natural History Society of New Brunswick	—	1	Rawie, Henry, Baltimore	—	1
New York School of Philanthropy	—	4	Reid, Right Hon. Sir George, Australia	—	1
New York State Education Department, Albany	—	7	Riddell, Judge W. R.	1	—
New York State Teachers Association, Albany	—	1	Robertson, J. Ross	1	—
North Side Board of Trade, New York	—	1	Robinson, William	—	1
Ontario Department of Agriculture	2	19	Rutherford, W. R.	1	—
			Sanderson, Percy, London, Eng..	70	—
			Smith, Harold A., Calgary	—	1
			Soyer-Le-Roy, Madame, Lille, France	—	1
			Stapells, Richard	1	—
			Thompson, Slason, Chicago	1	—

List of Newspapers, Magazines and Periodicals taken by the Toronto Public Library.

With the Library or Libraries in which each is to be found. Ref.—Reference; C—Church Street; Coll.—College; R.—Riverdale; Y.—Yorkville; Q.—Queen and Lisgar; W.—Western; D.—Deer Park; Wy.—Wychwood; N.—Northern; M.—Municipal Reference.

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| Academy—C. | Belfast Northern Whig—C., R. |
| Aero—C., Coll. | Belfast Weekly News—W., Q. |
| Aircraft—C., Coll. | Bibliography of Social Science—Ref. |
| Amateur Photographers' Weekly—C. | Bird-Lore—C. |
| America—C. | Blackwood's Magazine—C., Coll., Y., D. |
| American Anthropologist—Ref. | Book Review Digest—C. |
| American Architect—Ref. | Bookman (American)—C. |
| American Cabinetmaker and Upholsterer—Q., W. | Bookman (English)—C., Coll. |
| American Carpenter and Builder—C. | Bookseller (English)—Ref. |
| American Catholic Quarterly—C. | Boston Herald—C., R., Ref. |
| American City—M. | Boston Transcript—Coll., Y., Ref. |
| American Economic Review—Ref. | Botanical Magazine—Ref. |
| American Forestry—Ref. | Boy's Own—C., Coll., R., Y., Q., W., D. |
| American Gas Light Journal—C. | Brickbuilder—C., Ref. |
| American Hatter—C. | British Columbia Magazine—C. |
| American Historical Review—Ref. | British Empire Review—Coll. |
| American Homes and Gardens—C., Coll., R., Q., Y., D., Ref. | British Journal of Photography—C. |
| American Library Annual—Ref. | British Numismatic Journal—Ref. |
| American Machinist—C., Q., W. | British Review—Ref. |
| American Magazine—Coll. | British Weekly—C., Coll., Y., R., Q., D. |
| American Municipalities—M. | Buffalo Express—C., W. |
| American Naturalist—Ref. | Builder—C., Coll. |
| American Statistical Association Journal—Ref. | Busy Man's Canada—Ref., Coll., C. |
| Animal World—C., Coll., R. | Canada—C. |
| Annals of Botany—Ref. | Canada Lumberman—C. |
| Antiquary—Ref. | Canada West—Coll. |
| Archaeologia Cambrensis—Ref. | Canadian-American—C. |
| Archaeological Journal—Ref. | Canadian Antiquarian—Ref. |
| Architect—C. | Canadian Bookseller & Stationer—C. |
| Architectural Record—C., Ref. | Canadian Collier's—C., Coll., D. |
| Arena—Ref. | Canadian Courier—C., Coll., R., Q., D. |
| Argonaut—Coll., C. | Canadian Defence—Coll. |
| Army and Navy Gazette—C. | Canadian Electrical News—C. |
| Astrophysical Journal—Ref. | Canadian Engineer—C., Q. |
| Athenaeum—Ref., Coll., C., R. | Canadian Entomologist—C. |
| Atlantic Monthly—C., Coll., Y., D. | Canadian Finance—C. |
| Auk—Ref. | Canadian Forestry Journal—Ref. |
| Australasian—C. | Canadian Grocer—C. |
| Australasian Insurance and Banking Record—Ref. | Canadian Home Journal—C., Coll., Y., R., Q., W., D. |
| Badminton Magazine—C. | Canadian Horticulturist—C. |
| Bedrock—Ref. | Canadian Magazine—C., Coll., Y., R., Q., W., D. |
| | Canadian Manufacturer—C. |

- Canadian Military Gazette—C.
 Canadian Miller—C., R.
 Canadian Mining Journal—C., Coll.
 Canadian Municipal Journal—M.
 Canadian Official Railway Guide—
 Ref.
 Canadian Peat Society Journal—
 Ref.
 Canadian Pictorial—C., Coll., W.
 Canadian Poultry Review—C., Coll.
 Canadian Textile Journal—C., Ref.
 Carpenter and Builder—C.
 Cassell's Magazine—C., Coll., Y., R.,
 Q., W., Wy.
 Cassier's Magazine—C.
 Catholic World—Y., Coll.
 Century—C., Coll., Y., R., Q., W., D.,
 Ref.
 Chambers's Journal—C., Coll., Y., R.,
 Q., W., D., Wy.
 Canautauquan—C., Coll.
 Chemical News—C.
 Chemical World—Ref.
 Chicago Tribune—C., Coll., R., Q.
 Chums—Coll., Y., R., Q., W., D.
 Church Quarterly Review—Ref.
 Churchman—C., Coll.
 Cincinnati Enquirer—C.
 Cleveland Plaindealer—C.
 Common Cause—C., R.
 Concrete-Cement Age—C.
 Connoisseur—Ref.
 Contemporary Review—C., Coll., Y.,
 R., D.
 Contract Record—C.
 Cornhill Magazine—C., Coll.
 Cosmopolitan—C., Coll.
 Country Life in America—C., Coll., D.
 Craftsman—Ref.
 Cumulative Book Index—Ref.
 Current Anthropological Literature.
 Ref.
 Current Opinion—Ref.
 Curtis's Botanical Magazine—Ref.

 Decorative Art—Ref.
 Delineator—C., Coll., Y., R., Q., W., D.
 Delinquent—Ref.
 Detroit Free Press—C., W.
 Dial—C., Ref.
 Dominion Magazine—C.
 Drama—Ref.
 Dublin Freeman—C., Coll.
 Dublin Review—Ref.

 Economic Journal—Ref.

 Economic Review—Ref.
 Economist—C.
 Edinburgh Review—C., Ref.
 Edinburgh Scotsman (daily)—C.,
 Coll.
 Edinburgh Scotsman (weekly)—Y.,
 R., Q.
 Electric Railway Journal—C.
 Electrical Review (English)—C., R.
 Electrical Review and Western
 Electrician—Q., Y.
 Electrical Times—C., Q.
 Electrical World—C., Coll.
 Electrician—C., Y.
 Elementary School Teacher—C., Coll.
 Empire Review—Coll.
 Engineer—C., Q.
 Engineering—R., C., W., Q., Coll.,
 Ref.
 Engineering and Mining Journal—C.
 Engineering Magazine—Coll., Ref.
 Engineering News—Ref.
 Engineering Record—C.
 English Historical Review—Ref.
 English Illustrated Magazine—C.,
 Coll., Y., R., Q., W., D.
 English Mechanic—C., Coll., R., W.
 English Review—Ref.
 Englishwoman—Coll., Ref.
 Everybody's Magazine—C., Coll., Q.,
 Y., R., W., D.
 Everyman—D., N.

 Family Herald—C., Coll., Y., R., Q., W.
 Farmer's Advocate—R., W.
 Farmer's Sun—C.
 Field—C.
 Financial Post of Canada—C.
 Financial Review of Reviews—M.
 Folk Lore—Ref.
 Forest and Stream—C., Coll., R.
 Fortnightly Review—C., Coll., Y.,
 R., D.
 Forum—C.
 Fruit Grower—C., W.
 Furniture Record—C.

 Garden—C., Coll.
 Garden Cities and Town Planning
 —M.
 Garden Magazine—C., Coll., Y., R.,
 Q., W., D.
 Genealogical and Biographical Rec-
 ord—Ref.
 Gentlewoman—C.
 Geographical Journal—Ref.

- Girl's Own—Coll., Y., Q., W., D., N.
 Glasgow Herald—C., Coll., Q., W.
 Good Housekeeping—C., Coll., Y., R.,
 Q., W., D.
 Graphic—C., Coll., Y., R., Q., W., D.
 Guardian—C.
 Haberdasher—C.
 Halifax Herald—C.
 Hamilton Spectator—C., Coll., R.
 Hamilton Times—C., Q.
 Harper's Bazar—C., Coll., Y., R., Q.,
 W., D.
 Harper's Magazine—C., Coll., Y., R.,
 Q., W., D., Wy., Ref.
 Harper's Weekly—C., Coll., Y., R.,
 Q., W., Ref.
 Hartford Seminary Record—Ref.
 Harvard Graduates' Magazine—Ref.
 Harvard Theological Review—Ref.
 Hibbert Journal—Ref.
 Human Engineering—Ref., C., Coll.
 Ibis—Ref.
 Illustrated London News—C., Coll.,
 Y., R., Q., W., D.
 Independent (N. Y.)—Coll., Ref.
 Index of Archaeological Papers—
 Ref.
 Inland Printer—C.
 Insurance Chronicle (Canadian)—C.
 Irish Review—Ref.
 Iron Trade Review—C.
 Journal of Actuaries—Ref.
 Journal of American Folk-Lore—
 Ref.
 Journal of Political Economy—Coll.,
 Ref.
 Journal of Royal Historical Society
 —Ref.
 Journal of Society of Chemical In-
 dustry—Ref.
 Journal of Sociology—Ref.
 Kennel Gazette—C.
 Knowledge and Illustrated Scientific
 News—Coll.
 La Patrie—C.
 Labour Gazette—C.
 Labour Leader—C.
 Ladies' Home Journal—C., Coll., Y.,
 R., Q., W., D.
 Lady's Pictorial—C., Coll., Y.
 Lancet—Coll.
 Landscape Architecture—Ref.
 Le Devoir—C.
 Librarian—Ref.
 Library—Ref.
 Library Association Record—Ref.
 Library Journal—Ref.
 Library World—Ref.
 Light—C.
 Lippincott's Magazine—C., Coll., Q.,
 W.
 Literary Digest—C., Coll., Y., R.
 Literary World—Coll., Y.
 Live Stock Journal—C., Q.
 Liverpool Post—C., R.
 Living Age—C., Y., R.
 Lloyd's Weekly News—C., Coll., R.,
 Q., W.
 Local Government Review—M.
 Locomotive Fireman—W.
 London Advertiser—Coll., Q.
 London (Eng.) Chronicle—R., W.
 London Free Press—C.
 London (Eng.) Standard—Coll., Y.
 London (Eng.) Telegraph—C., Q.
 London (Eng.) Times (daily)—C.,
 Coll.
 London (Eng.) Times (weekly)—D.
 London (Eng.) World—C., Coll.
 Los Angeles Herald—C.
 Maccabaeae—C.
 Machinery Monthly—C.
 Maclean's Magazine—C.
 Magazine of History—Ref.
 Manchester Guardian—Coll., D.
 McClure's Magazine—C., Coll., R.
 Metal Industry—C.
 Metal Worker—Q., W.
 Mining World—C.
 Missionary Review of the World—
 C.
 Modern Electrics—C., Coll., R., Q.
 Modern Priscilla—C., Coll., R., Q.,
 W., D.
 Monetary Times—C.
 Monist—Ref.
 Montreal Gazette—C.
 Montreal Herald—R.
 Montreal Star—Coll., Y., Q., W.
 Montreal Witness—Coll.
 Motor—C., Coll.
 Motor Boat—C., Coll.
 Municipal Journal—M.
 Municipal World—M.
 Musical Courier—Coll., R.
 Musical Herald—C., Coll., Y.
 Nation (New York)—C., Coll., Y.,
 R., D.

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 National Geographic Magazine—Ref.
 National Municipal Review—Ref.
 National Review—Coll.
 Naturaliste Canadienne—Ref.
 Nature—C.
 Nature Study Review—Coll., Ref.
 Navy List—Ref.
 Navy Records—Ref.
 New England Magazine—Coll., Ref.
 New Orleans Picayune—C.
 New Shakespereana—Ref.
 New York Evening Post—C., D.
 New York Herald—C., Coll.
 New York Journal of Commerce—C.
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